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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.
If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 3, 8, 10 and 11.

Identification of prior art discussed: Wyatt (US 6/490530).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussion focused on the interpretation of the claims as well as the details of the previous office action. The previous and current amendments to claim 1 were discussed in regards to the previous response to arguments. Applicant will amend the claims in areas they find necessary and a new search initiated if necessitated after review of future submissions.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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